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LETTER RESCINDING NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

A Notice of Abandonment, Form PTO-1432, was mailed on April 03, 2007, in patent application Serial Number 10/766,792. The Notice of Abandonment alleged that applicant failed to file a response to the Office Action Final Rejection dated October 27, 2006. However, upon further review, the Examiner discovered that this mailing had been done prematurely in error, since the 6 month extended statutory period for response for this application did not officially end until April 27, 2007.

The applicant has subsequently filed an amendment in response to the Final Rejection, which was received by the USPTO on April 27, 2007. Accordingly, the response is considered timely and the Notice of Abandonment is, therefore, hereby RESCINDED.

Any inconvenience occasioned by the delay in associating the response with the application file is regretted.

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